

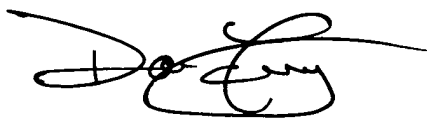
REMARKS

Applicants have removed the duplicate copy of claim 14 inadvertently included in the copy of the claims, and have added amended claim 17.

In view of the present amendments and previously submitted remarks, applicants consider that the rejections of record have been obviated and respectfully solicit passage of the application to issue.

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Respectfully submitted,
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